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LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS SECRETARIAT

Notification No. LAW 82 LGN 74.

Bangalore, dated 24th October 1975.

Ordered that the Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners (Amendment) Ordinance, 1975 promulgated by the Governor of Karnataka in the Twenty-sixth year of the Republic of India, be published as Karnataka Ordinance No. 16 of 1975 in the *Karnataka Gazette Extraordinary* for general information.

KARNATAKA ORDINANCE No. 16 OF 1975.

The Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners (Amendment) Ordinance, 1975.

(Promulgated by the Governor of Karnataka in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Republic of India and first published in the Karnataka Gazette Extraordinary on the Twenty-fourth day of October, 1975).

An Ordinance further to amend the Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners Act, 1961.

WHEREAS the Karnataka Legislative Assembly is not in session and only the Karnataka Legislative Council is in session and the Governor of Karnataka is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action further to amend the Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners Act, 1961 (Karnataka Act 35 of 1961);

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution of India the Governor of Karnataka is pleased to promulgate the following ordinance, namely:—

1 Short title and commencement.—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners (Amendment) Ordinance, 1975.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of section 16 and 37A.—In subsection (1) of section 16 and section 37A of the Karnataka Homoeopathic Practitioners Act, 1961 (Karnataka Act 35 of 1961) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act) for the words “Director of Health and Family Planning Services in Karnataka”, the words “Director of Indian Systems of Medicine and Homoeopathy in Karnataka” shall be and shall be deemed to have been substituted with effect from the 16th day of April, 1975.

3. Validation—Notwithstanding anything contained in the principal Act, no act of the court of examiners constituted by the State Government under section 16 or the committee appointed by the State Government under Section 37A with the Director of Indian Systems of Medicine and Homoeopathy in Karnataka as the Chairman shall be deemed to be invalid by reason only that the said Director was not at the time of his appointment as Chairman competent to be appointed as such.

MOHANLAL SUKHADIA,
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Karnataka,

M. L. RAMASWAMI,
*Draftsman and Ex-officio Joint Secretary to Government,
Department of Law and Parliamentary Affairs.*